



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Paul Roben, et al.                      Art Unit : 1643  
Serial No. : 09/528,742                      Examiner : Unknown  
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Title : METHODS FOR IDENTIFYING AND ISOLATING TISSUE-SPECIFIC  
LUMEN-EXPOSED MOLECULES

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-referenced application, Applicants respectfully request entry of the amendments and consideration of the remarks set forth herein.

Applicant believes that no fee is required for submission of this amendment. However, if a fee is required, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct such fee from the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 06-1050. Please credit any overpayments to the above-noted Deposit Account.

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